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SUMMARY: SUBJECT MEETING RESOLVED DIFFERENCES ON EFFECTIVENESS PARAMETERS FOR THENAO AIR CAMPAIGN ANALYSIS. WHILE NOT ALL PARAMETERS THAT EMERGED FROM MEETING ARE FULLY AGREED, DIFFERENCES HAVE BEEN NARROWED TO THE POINT WHERE ALL SGTA MEMBERS ARE ABLE TO ACCEPT THEIR USE IN THE NATO ANALYSIS. DOAE REVIEWED RESULTS OF INTERIM ANALYSIS. ACTION REQUESTED: PROVISION OF ADDITIONAL DATA AS REQUESTED IN PARA 2 D, E AND G BELOW. END SUMMARY

1. THE SGTA ADDRESSED THE PROPOSED EFFECTIVENESS PARAMETERS AND ASSUMPTIONS AS LISTED IN REF A. REF A WAS PREPARED BASED ON SUBMISSION FROM SHAPE AND NATIONAL REPLIES TO THE QUESTIONS POSED IN REF B. NO US REPLY WAS INCLUDED. US
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RESPONSE BASED ON DATA PROVIDED BY WASHINGTON REPRESENTATIVES, REF C.

2. ALL MAJOR POINTS RAISED BY US REPRESENTATIVES WERE

ACCEPTED AND WILL BE USED IN THE NATO ANALYSIS. THESE INCLUDED:

- A. F-111 WOULD FLY SINGLY AT NIGHT.
- B. FOUR DAYLIGHT COUNTERAIRFIELD RAIDS PER PERIOD.
- C. WP USE OF FISHBED J/ K AIRCRAFT IN DEFENSE SUPPORT ROLE WOULD BE DISCONTINUED AFTER 4 DAYS.
- D. ASSUMPTION THAT CBU-24 EFFECTIVENESS IS TWICE THAT OF CBU-2 IN ATTACKS AGAINST AIRCRAFT PARKED IN REVENEMENTS. CBU-2 AND CBU-24 EFFECTIVENESS AGAINST AIRCRAFT PARKED IN THE OPEN WOULD BE THE SAME. US TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON HOW THE CBU-2 AND CBU-24 NUMBER OF CANISTERS LISTED IN CONVENTIONAL MUNITIONS GUIDE WAS DETERMINED AND HOW TO PROPERLY APPLY THE NUMBERS OF CBU CANISTERS LISTED, I. E., NUMBER OF PASSES, AIM POINTS, ETC. US ALSO REQUESTED TO PROVIDE ATTRITION DATA FOR AIRCRAFT CARRYING CBU-24 AND UTILIZING A POP-UP DELIVERY.
- E. US OF ORIGINAL EFFECTIVENESS DATA FOR CHAPARRAL SYSTEM AS LISTED IN REF B VICE PROPOSAL IN REF A. US TO PROVIDE SUPPORTING CHAPARRAL EFFECTIVENESS DATA FOR CONSIDERATION OF STAFF GROUP.
- F. REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF S-60 BATTERIES DEFENDING WP MOBS AND DOBS FROM 2 TO 1.
- G. REVISION OF SA-3 EFFECTIVENESS TO REFLECT US INPUT. US REQUESTED TO PROVIDE PARAMETERS USED IN CALCULATING THE SA-3 EFFECTIVENESS DATA. THIS IS TO INCLUDE SSPK AT 300 OR 350 FT, NUMBER OF ENGAGEMENTS, UNMASK RANGE, OFFSET DISTANCE, NUMBER OF SALVOS, MINIMUM ENGAGEMENT ANGLE AND REACTION AND REENGAGEMENT TIMES.
- H. REVISION OF THE NUMBER AND LOCATION OF WP AAA GROUND DEFENSES TO CORRESPOND WITH US SUGGESTED GROUND DEPLOYMENT, I. E., FIRST ECHELON LOCATED BETWEEN 0-100 K AND COMPOSED OF 40 DIVS IN CASE A AND 36 DIVS IN CASE B.

3. SEVERAL REPRESENTATIVES STATED THEIR AUTHORITIES COULD NOT "AGREE" TO ALL THE GAMER PARAMETERS AS PROPOSED BY DOAE AND MODIFIED IN MEETING BUT COULD

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"ACCEPT" THEIR USE IN THE NATO AIR CAMPAIGN BASE CASE ANALYSIS. ALL MEMBERS CONCURRED IN THIS UNDERSTANDING. DOAE AUTHORIZED BY SGTA TO CONDUCT THE INITIAL ANALYSIS WITH THE "ACCEPTED" PARAMETERS. SGTA STAFF GROUP WILL PUBLISH A DOCUMENT REFLECTING PARAMETERS TO BE USED.

4. DOAE REPRESENTATIVES PRESENTED RESULTS OF THE INTERIM ANALYSIS CONDUCTED ON BEHALF OF CERTAIN NATIONS. WHILE MANY OF PARAMETERS USED IN THE INTERIM ANALYSIS WILL BE REVISED, MODEL WAS FOUND TO BE SENSITIVE TO ATTRITION AND EMPHASIS OF ATTACK, COUNTER AIR OR OFFENSIVE SUPPORT.

5. DOAE REPRESENTATIVES FEEL THAT DATA ON THE NATO BASE

CASES RUNS WILL BE AVAILABLE IN 5 TO 6 WEEKS. NEST SUB- GROUP
MEETING SCHEDULED FOR AUG 1-3 TO REVIEW DOAE RESULTS.
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